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Abstract

The invention relates to a locking device for a cover (2) of a glove compartment (1) of motor vehicles, which is positioned so as to swivel on an associated frame (3) and is held in the closed condition by means of two locking sections (4.1, 5.1) of the locking bar engaging behind an associated locking contour on the frame (3), wherein the locking bars (4, 5) can be synchronously displaced from their locked position to the release position in order to open the cover (2) by means of an actuation element (6). In order to require only a little installation space, especially in the area of the cover, the actuation element (6) is positioned on the frame side and for opening the cover (2) interacts with its locking section (4.1) on the associated locking bar (4) displacing it in the opening direction, while the other locking bar (5) is moved into its release position.

(Figure 1)